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Amendment

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2005, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), submitted herewith is a petition for a two-month extension of time for responding to this Office Action. The authorization to deduct the appropriate fee from our Deposit Account is included herewith.